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Electors of Victoria.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE MEN'S and boys' straw hats will be offered at a discount of from 20 to 35 per cent. It is early in the season for such a reduction, but circumstances make the reduction imperative. In the first place, times are dull. In the second place, I have a very large stock of straw hats. The law of Demand and Supply does not seem to govern this branch of trade at all. Either there are too many straw hats, or else there are too few men and boys. Which of these theories is the correct one is immaterial. The fact remains that in the matter of straw hats I am in danger of (to use a parliamentary phrase) getting left. It is to avoid such a catastrophe, therefore, ladies and gentlemen, that I make this reduction—and make it thorough and immediate.
W. G. CAMERON, 48 Johnson Street.
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Notice.

MR. ROBERT WILSON, the proprietor of the Private Boarding House on Cormorant street, Victoria, hereby gives notice that he is the sole Agent for the Canadian Mutual Aid Association in British Columbia. All applications to the Company for insurance should be made through him, as the Company will not accept any applications unless approved by him. Agencies will be established in New Westminster, Nanaimo, Cowichan and Vancouver as soon as residents of those places become members. All Agents are selected from the members of the Association and must be appointed by Mr. Wilson. All necessary information and papers can be obtained on application. je31m

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Samuel Adler and James P. McCarthy, carrying on business at Granite City as Hotel keepers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Samuel Adler will continue on the business and assume all responsibility from date of partnership agreement.
(Signed) SAM'L ADLER.
J. P. McCARTHY.
Witness—G. C. WEBSTER.
Granite Creek, June 2, 1886. june9 D&W 1m

Re Powers Brothers Estate.

WE BEG TO GIVE NOTICE that a first dividend in the above estate will be declared (and be payable) on the 10th day of July next, at the office of J. H. Todd & Son, Victoria. All parties who have any claim against said estate, and wish to participate in proceeds thereof, are hereby notified to present a certified statement in detail of such claim to us on or before said date.
J. H. TODD, } Assignees.
S. J. PITTS, }
June 4th, 1886. je4 D&W 1m

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Licence to prospect for Coal over 1,920 acres of land situated on the Ya-Kown River, Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, for one year from the date hereof, has been granted to Messrs. W. A. Robertson, James Shields, Thomas Russell, and James D. Robinson.
WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., May 29th, 1886. may 29

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Notice.

DURING my absence in California Frank Campbell holds my power of attorney.
P. MURPHY,
Adelphi Saloon.
October 3rd, 1885. oct3

POLITICAL POINTERS.

First blood was not drawn by the government at Cowichan, as reported, but at Nanaimo, by Dr. O'Brian, the opposition candidate. At Cowichan Mr. Booth was caught out on a "foul," and a snap verdict thereby secured. At Nanaimo, Dr. O'Brian and Mr. James Dunsmuir got into an altercation, during which hot words were used and the young laird was struck by the fiery doctor. Friends interposed and a sanguinary conflict was fortunately prevented. The affray, it appears, arose out of some remarks on monopolies, made by the doctor when addressing the electors. [illegible] was so hostile to monopolies, he wanted him to go into a railway scheme in the Chilicoten country, an insinuation warmly contradicted as soon as uttered. The excitement consequent upon this episode has not subsided, and it would not be astonishing were there other encounters to occur before "peace, with honor" can be secured.

Messrs. Smithe and Croft have been elected for Cowichan by an "informality," and not by the voice of the people. Owing to an alleged irregularity in Mr. Booth's nomination paper, not fully explained, the returning officer took the responsibility of ruling it out and proclaimed Smithe and Croft the choice of the electors! And we have their return blazoned abroad in the government press as a great victory—a tidal wave of popular approval—for what reason? Simply because the electors have been deprived of an opportunity to pronounce an opinion. This may be a victory, but it is one of that kind whose results are worse than a defeat. Our readers will hear more of this sharp game in a day or two, and it may transpire that Mr. Smithe has over-reached himself in his instructions and manipulations in the trick that has been played.

The government meeting on Monday night will form a text for an editorial in the morning organ every issue until polling day. Another review of the speeches is given to-day, forgetful of the fact that its readers had been surfeited before with the same sort of fulsome laudation. But apart from, and in spite of all newspaper chaff or whitewash, the hard fact remains that although the meeting was a success in point of numbers, and, in a minor degree, in the manner of the speakers if not in the substance of their speeches, no *enthusiasm was evoked for the government.* There were more hisses and manifestations of disgust during Duck's speech than there were signs of approval, and if the same did not occur during Davie's fabrications, it was because the people respected him a trifle more.

THE GOVERNMENT'S PERFIDY.

The more one thinks and ponders over the past sins of omission, but more particularly *commission* of the present government, the stronger must be the conviction that, the combination is wicked and perfidious to the province, and should be relegated for ever to a political dungeon. The perfidy of the Minister of Finance to the very men who first gave him a seat on the floor of the House; the recklessness of the leader of the government towards Hon. Mr. Beaven and the bogus anti-Chinese bill of the Attorney General, supported by the silvery but slippery tongue of Honest John, all show what the political honesty of the government is. The electors of New Westminster will remember how faithfully Honest John served them. How a certain printing press from the Royal City was transferred under peculiar circumstances to this city and how a portion of the same material is in use at New Westminster district, where the acme of honesty seeks election. Mr. Orr has a nice political bed-fellow to sleep with; but in 1875 and 1876 Honest John did not gush about him too well nor too wisely. Since then these little differences have been arranged and the benchmen of the government have come to terms. If the *Colonist* imagines for one moment that it can pull the wool over the intelligence of the electors' eyes on July 7th, it will find itself very badly mistaken. The organ has tried recently to pose as the friend of the workingman; but what has its previous record to say about Mr. Duck, who then called himself a workingman's friend and vacillated from his quondom friends just as soon as he had an opportunity.

A dissolution of the Manitoba Legislature is daily looked for. Each party have their candidates in the field and a fierce contest is anticipated. Quebec will certainly be called upon to render her verdict before the snow flies. In that province as in Manitoba party feeling is very bitter, and the excitement in consequence is certain to run high. So far as British Columbia is concerned, the issues are provincial entirely. None of the candidates, so far, have said anything about provincial rights, boundaries, or any of the many perplexing questions agitating the electors in the east. Ontario will not appeal to her millions until next year. It is not likely that Mr. Mowatt's majority will be materially altered.

CONTESTS IN THE EAST.

The contest in Prince Edward Island is being watched by politicians with as great interest as were those of Nova Scotia last week. The nominations took place yesterday; polling will be held on the 30th. It appears that the Summerside *Journal*, hitherto a most uncompromising supporter of the Ottawa government and proclaiming itself to belong to the Tory party, comes out flatfooted with the following stipulation: "Our platform must be justice or repeal." After the experience of Nova Scotia and the clean sweep made in New Brunswick, it will not be a matter of surprise if Prince Edward Island should follow in the footsteps of her sister provinces.

So far as Nova Scotia is concerned, the result may briefly be summed up thus: The total membership of the House of Assembly is 38; of that number not less than 32 are avowed supporters of Mr. Fielding's government, while 6 are opposed thereto. But there is a significance to be attached to the recent contest that does not generally follow in provincial elections: The offer of the Dominion government to spend in the neighborhood of $2,000,000 in that province in railway extensions—intended as a direct bribe to the electors—was spurned. The personal appeal made by Hon. Messrs. Thompson and McLelan availed the government and these gentlemen nothing. It is a declaration that with the present condition of affairs the Nova Scotians are dissatisfied; New Brunswick is uneasy and Prince Edward Island demands "justice or repeal." Prince Edward has had a Conservative government for the last ten years and in perfect harmony and affinity with the Ottawa government. No true Canadian can view these "family disturbances" with any other feeling than that of alarm, for the matter cannot be sneered at nor treated with contempt. Naturally a wing of the Conservative press endeavor to make this a party question. This is an attempt to draw the political red herring across the track. In the Dominion parliament there are five Liberals and eleven Conservatives from New Brunswick; from Nova Scotia five Liberals and sixteen Conservatives, and from Prince Edward Island three from each party. The handwriting is on the wall and a hint is given to those anxious to set their house in order to do so at once, for a change in the political complexion of these provinces towards the Dominion is predicted.

In this city and province are to be found many who will make this an occasion for rending the very heavens with their shrieks about disloyalty—men from whose very shirts the odor of treasonable sentiments towards our country and Queen pervades the atmosphere. Such creatures forget that loyalty to justice is supreme; and "loyalty" to deceivers, corruptionists, axe-grinders, log-rollers and tyrants is intolerable and detestable in any shape. A contemporary adds that "if Canada is to be broken up it is due entirely to a perseverance in misgovernment which has led to two rebellions and a secession, while all along its line of route lie scandals and corruptions that make the atmosphere almost too deadly to breathe. 'The subject who is truly loyal to the chief magistrate will neither advise nor submit to arbitrary measures.' There is a point at which patience ceases to be a virtue and becomes unmanliness, and impotency. Nova Scotia entered the union with a debt of $8,000,000, which was increased to $9,000,000. The gross debt of the Dominion is now $280,000,000, and having one-tenth of the population of the Dominion, her share of the public debt is now $28,000,000. She is, therefore, paying interest upon $14,000,000 more than she paid at the time of Confederation. Besides this the increased tariff compels her to contribute to the revenue $4,000,000 annually.

COUN. HIGGINS' LOYALTY.

The libel suit between C. B. Young and D. W. Higgins, in which the latter was the defendant, and to which he makes reference in the *Colonist* this morning to bolster his loyalty (!) was not instituted on any grounds as to the annexation question. The action was brought to bring the defendant to account for malicious slander, and it was contended in the evidence that the defendant had been guilty of base ingratitude to a former generous benefactor—the plaintiff, Mr. Young. The verdict of "not guilty" returned by the jury was understood at the time, not to exonerate the defendant for his conduct, but rather to be out of consideration of the defendant's inability to bear the responsibility that must been have caused by a verdict of "guilty." Will Councillor Higgins deny that this is the case?

Mr. Arthur Peatt, who announced himself as a candidate in the government interest, in Esquimalt district, realizing the blunder he had made, did not put in a nomination.

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BURNING OF VANCOUVER.

Another Graphic Description of the Great Conflagration.

The Stroke of Grief that Made the People Kin.

The following graphic description of the Vancouver fire is from a private letter to a lady in this city. Written from a different standpoint than anything that has yet appeared it will supplement descriptions that have preceded it. The story of the Vancouver fire has not been half told yet, and perhaps never will be: The streets were filled with smoke, but we had got so used to that I thought nothing of it. Just as I finished dinner, the proprietor came in excited, and told us some house at the upper end of the town had caught fire. I have seen so many fires that I don't run now—am satisfied to walk—and so I started across the street to see what danger we were in as our stable was three blocks from the vicinity of the fire. Before I got half across the street I met a man who begged me to hitch up quickly and save a load of boots and shoes from his store. In ten minutes his store was in ashes. I nearly got caught in driving to his place, and just got the horses turned in good time to gallop before the fire. A poor woman begged hard for me to take on three trunks, but she had no one to help her and the horses were so wild I could only keep them straight on the road. I stopped once, and in less than a minute the wagon was full of trunks, and then I put the horses as fast as I could manage to pass people; I had not any further to drive than from the corner of Johnson street to James Bay bridge, and I lost no time in throwing everything off the waggon and started back. I knew I could not go the way I came, as the horses almost got singed with fire passing the Columbia Restaurant, so I took another road, but before I got half way people shouted to me to turn back. Here I met the poor woman I had passed, almost exhausted, lugging the end of a trunk. I asked some men to help her and it into the wagon. I had a load in a few seconds and turned away from the fire. I suppose some people away from here will think it was a grand sight, but the fact is the fire was not seen by anyone. The smoke and heat, with the gale of wind forcing it towards us was so great that everyone who ran could just save themselves, and those who tried to save property had to perish. The behavior of the people during and after the fire was something wonderful. When I passed out of town, everyone was trying to carry or pull along something. I saw quite a number dragging their trunks on the road, with a rope tied to one of the handles. The whole thing only lasted about half an hour—houses, homes, everything in ashes, and a town full of people with nothing but the sky over them. I did not hear a woman whimper or see a tear on an eye; not a child cried in my hearing, and I have asked a good many if they heard or saw anything of the kind, and have not met anyone who did. I never saw a sight in my life that pleased me better with my fellow beings. During the fire there was no yelling, no calling out, no noise, but what was drowned by the crackling of the fire and the falling of roofs. The fire was carried in the air from block to block, and a ring of fire surrounded the town before the centre had got ablaze. People generally run to see a fire; none went to this one; everybody ran before it, pursued by the terrible hissing noise of the demon death. And those who escaped—how overjoyed they were to be safe; how contented to lose everything and be alive. One would have imagined they had found some good thing instead of having suffered as they did. How friendly we felt towards each other; how well we seemed to be acquainted. What shaking of hands between people who had never done so before. "We are still alive," said the owner of the Sunnyside as he wrung my hand. There was no pride around, no consideration for dress, fine words, or nonsense of any kind. There was only left plain men and women, with their children, a band of brothers and sisters, such as occurs on the deck of a distressed ship. It was an occasion when the best side of human nature came to the surface, and was more impressive to the minds of many than all the sermons they ever heard or will hear. The whole thing was over so soon it was impossible to realize exactly what had happened. One man said to me, "it was like a dream," and I don't think he could have described it better. People are beginning to realize it better now. Since I began to write this letter a lady, whose husband had a good stock and was apparently well-to-do, told me that her little girls troubled her this morning for a change of dress, and she had none to give! But there is a stout hearted people here in Vancouver and if they get any chance they will soon be right side up again. Bye-the-bye, a photographer had been taking views of the place from all points for a week or ten days before the fire. He saved the negatives, and since the fire he has been taking views every day, so that when they come out in a few days they will be very interesting.

A DEAD DUCK QUACKING.

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—Mr. Duck in his speech on Monday evening endeavored to talk about his voice never being that of a dead Duck:—"He had never flopped, never spoken against the administration who put him into power." Mr. Editor, this is a little too flabby for old residents, who have seen Mr. Duck's head politically carried by Mr. Charles Seymour, now in South Africa, behind the vehicle of the Hon. A. C. Elliott, a gentleman who was elected by Mr. Duck, and the Independent party, to throw Mr. Smithe and his colleagues into power. This is the kind of stuffing Mr. Duck has got in him to-day and by a peculiar mingling and mixing with Davie, sage and a little government dirt, he has been able to draw his portfolio's honest earnings. A nice mixture Mr. Duck is? About 1875, he was the advocate of "throwing money broadcast," but in his budget speech of last session contrasts the three years expenditure of the Walkem-Beaven government, of which he was then a strong supporter thusly. The former government, 1880, 1881, 1882, receipts from ordinary revenue, $1,182,729. The present government "ordinary revenue," $1,511,460. Balance in favor of the present government, $328,730. Does Mr. Duck know the difference between ordinary and extraordinary revenue, and can he have the audacity to tell the electors that the present government have not sacrificed the best interests of the province to keep their treasury benches warm? I ask this as

A Consistent Elector.

THE NOMINATIONS.

Full Lists of Candidates Nominated for Mainland Districts.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

New Westminster, June 23.—The nominations for the New Westminster district were made at Brownsville to-day. The following nominations were read by Mr. Hughes, the returning officer: Lewis Agassiz, (opposition); Henry Dawson, (opposition); Adam Innes, (opposition); Wm. Isaac, (opposition); James Kennedy, (government); Wm. Kent, (opposition); John Kirkland (government); Wm. H. Ladner, (opposition); Donald McGillivray, (opposition); James Orr, (opposition); John Robson, (government); Allen Casey Wells,(government.) The following resolution was proposed and adopted: We, the undersigned, nominated as candidates to represent the electoral district of New Westminster in the legislative assembly of the Province of British Columbia hereby agree to appoint the several agents of each to select a ticket to oppose the government candidates in the present election, and we all and each of us hereby pledge ourselves to abide by the selection of the agents so appointed, and further pledge ourselves to support the candidates selected by said agent, and to use our best endeavor to secure their election. The ones marked doubtful are those who would not sign the above resolution. The agents of those who signed the resolution met at 4 p. m., and at 8 gave the following report, viz: That they had selected Donald McGillivray, Wm. Henry Ladner, and James Orr, to be the opposition candidates for the district. The above is the straight opposition ticket for the district, the others have retired except those who did not sign the resolution and who are only to be recognized as supporters of the government.

YALE DISTRICT.

New Westminster, June 24.—The following gentlemen were nominated at Kamloops yesterday: Chas. A. Semlin, Geo. B. Martin, Forbes G. Vernon, Thos. Vodley, Henry Nicholson and Robert Irwin.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

Candidates nominated: Edward Allen, A. E. B. Davie, Wm. Livingston, Wm. Morrison, Wm. Saul.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

Nominations made at Barkerville: Neil R. Campbell, Geo. Cowan, Geo. Ferguson, Jos. Mason, R. McLeese, Dennis Murphy, Robt. Shaw, Samuel Walker, and Chas. Wilson.

IS MR. JOHN GUILTY OF BRIBERY?

To the Editor of The Times:

Sir,—The speech of Mr. Humphreys, at Agricultural Hall, South Saanich, has evidently startled the political burglars in their wigwam. The immaculate Dave of the *Colonist*, reading between the lines, has discovered something worse than Edgar Bain or the patent stone swindle; but he has not heard the worst, for Tom is evidently in earnest, and means mischief. As a mere political effort the effect was not only brilliant, but instantaneous and crushing. His denunciation of the wholesale corruption by the government absolutely electrified the audience, and completely pulverized that refined specimen of a legislator—Mr. John—whom Mr. Humphreys charged with corrupt practices. Speaking on his own responsibility and from facts within his knowledge said Mr. John had been bribed to give his vote and influence to support certain measures in the legislative assembly. We have therefore every prospect of a very lively time and of hearing some astounding revelations, for Mr. Humphreys knows where of he speaks, so out with it "Tom" and let the "guilty" suffer.

Saanich Farmer.

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Another Successful Blast Fired by Charles Hayward into Spence's Rock.

Within a minute or two of the time fixed for the work—6:45 on Tuesday evening—Contractor Hayward fired a very successful shot to remove the remnant of what is known as Spence's rock, at the entrance of the harbor. The red flag was hoisted on the staging and lifting machinery, and as the blast went off a beautiful spectacle was afforded to those who took the trouble to witness it from points of vantage in the vicinity of the Customs House and along Wharf street. The waters of the harbor were thrown up in the shape of the Prince of Wales' feathers, the centre plume reaching an altitude of about 160 feet from the level of the tide, and on either side the volumns fell down placidly. Mr. Oregon Hastings secured an excellent photograph of the event. Mr. Hayward stated to a reporter of The Times that the quantity of explosives used to effect the disturbance was 150 lbs. of nitro glycerine and 50 lbs. of No. 1 dynamite. Twelve holes were bored in the rock and when the shot went off there was a rumble as of distant thunder. Contrary to the directions of the harbor-master the steamer "Teaser" passed over the spot where the explosion had taken place, finding an easy channel, although it was feared that night that she might cut the wires connecting the explosives with the electric batteries. The amount of rock split, its tonnage and depth cannot yet be ascertained; but the contractor had his men at work again this morning. Just before the Teaser crossed the point of the blast, the scows waiting on the hoisting and firing apparatus had been removed to a position of safety, and as the undulations became placed myriads of fish were to be seen floating end upwards. They were a welcome contribution to the lads who gathered them in.

MARINE.

Another attempt will be made next Thursday to float the ship John Rosenfeld from her position off Saturna island.

THE VANCOUVER FIRE.

From recent letters received, we are pleased to know that J. & J. Taylor's safes which were in the great fire, stood the test, and the contents when opened were in perfect order. In consequence of this, Messrs. Waitt & Co., the agents, have sold to a leading firm of that city one of their largest safes and orders have since been received for three others.

A SPLENDID ENGINE.

The new engine made by the Albion Iron Works for driving the electric light dynamos, was set in operation a few days ago, and is found to work without the slightest noise or vibration. The excellence of the machine is highly commended.

—Only three d. and ds. and an Indian for being in unlawful possession of an intoxicant at the City Police this morning. The usual penalties were inflicted.

To-day's Despatches

EXPULSION OF THE PRINCES.

Paris, June 23.—When the Count of Paris received the result of the division on the expulsion bill, his son and the Duke of Chartres who were with him burst into tears. Inhabitants collected in groups on the streets to discuss the situation. The gates of the Chateau will be opened at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning to admit the town people of Trehart, who desire the Count to receive an expression of their sympathy. When Prince Napoleon took his departure the station was closed to the public, but a dense crowd, estimated at five thousand, gathered on the outside. There were counter cries, "Vive L' Empereur and Vive La Republique." Mornamo, Royalist, tried to rally a party, in order to make a demonstration, but the police hustled the crowd roughly. M. Rochefort's *Intransigent* taunts the Senate with pusillanimity. He says it is willing to vote, if pressed hard enough, in any way the government chooses.

BISHOP OF JERUSALEM.

Berlin, June 24.—After five years of a deadlock, between Prussia and England, over their respective rights to the appointment of a Protestant Bishop of Jerusalem, Prussia has decided to dissolve the compact of 1841, under which the two countries agreed to alternate in the appointment, and to found an independent Prussian bishopric at the holy city. It is thought that Dr. Reitter, German missionary, will be the first appointee under the new order.

RUSSIAN ARSENAL.

Vienna, June 24.—An Odessa journal states that Herr Krupp is preparing to establish a foundry for the manufacture of cannon at Nikolariff, a Russian station at the junction of Ingal and Bug rivers.

A CONGO LINE.

Washington, June 24.—The certificates of the incorporation of the United States and Congo National Immigration Company of this city has been recorded. The object of the company is to run and operate a line of steam vessels from Baltimore to the Congo country, in Africa, and intermediate places, for the purpose of emigration and commerce. The capital stock is placed at $2,000,000, which may be increased to $3,000,000.

EXCURSION PARTY.

The North Pacific brought the Raymond excursion party of about forty ladies and gentlemen this morning. They took carriages for the Driard House at once and afterwards drove out on the principal streets and roads of the suburbs. When at Beacon Hill they were perfectly enraptured with the beautiful scenery. How could they be otherwise? With the opening of the C. P. R. the Queen City of the Pacific will rise to eminence as a summer resort, and when once visited will leave such a favorable impression as to make a future visit a special object. In the Raymond party are some gentlemen of wealth and distinction. Among the more prominent members are the following: Hon. George H. Monroe, of Boston, Mass. editor of the Boston *Herald*; Hon. J. B. F. Osgood, Judge of the Municipal Court of Salem, Mass.; Hon. John Felt Osgood, of Boston, formerly a wholesale merchant of San Francisco; Hon. Edwin Wright, of Boston, Judge of the Municipal court of Boston; Major Edward J. Jones, who commanded with distinction the famous Jones light battery of Boston; G. Waldo Smith, of the great firm of Smith & Sells, New York, wholesale grocers. The party will leave to-morrow, returning east by way of Spokane Falls and the famed Yellowstone Park. *Bon voyage.*

THE C. P. R. AND FEDERATION.

The London *Standard*, in an article on imperial federation, says: "The completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway has given us the Northwest passage to the East which English navigators since the Tudor time have struggled and died to discover. We can now reach India without once quitting British territory or territorial water, except when we are on the open sea. It is the route which would necessarily be taken by our troops as well as our trade, if the Isthmus of Suez and the Red Sea should be closed to us; and it would certainly be as well that we should make some use of it in peace time, *and especially that we should take care that Port Moody and Vancouver Island are as strong as money and skill can make them.* To utilize the internal resources of the Empire, to make all portions of it mutually useful, and to depend upon ourselves and kinsmen instead of the foreigner—these are the first and most important steps towards making Federation a reality.

A GAMBLING SAINT.

Emulating the man at Donnybrook Dave is dragging his coat along the street and daring any person to tread upon it. The blustering and "betting" side of his character is not in consonance with the other saintly proclivities, and will be the means of preventing his canonization after he has gone to join the angels. "The evil that men do live after them; the good is oft interred with their bones!" Now, if report speaks truly, this gay gambler, who is so free in offering to bet $25 and $100 to decide questions of fact, is not possessed of any more cash than is absolutely required for his own private purposes. Profligacy under the circumstances is madness, and besides the custom of "betting" smacks too much of the race-course to meet with general approbation.

DESERTING THE SHIP.

As a getleman was passing the door of the *Colonist* building last evening, a rat was seen to leave the office in great haste. This is considered an omen among seafaring men that dooms the vessel deserted, and in which no able-bodied seamen could be induced to ship. Seeing that we have many friends among the government supporters, whom we would dislike to see engulfed in the present "James Bay" craft, we are anxious to give them warning so that they can leave in time.

THAT'S THE WAY.

The Portland base ballists and their friends will arrive Monday next. The Amities and the "Olympic Club" of this city will receive them in a befitting manner. The Olympic Club will give one of their social hops in the Theatre Comique Monday evening when the Portlanders and their friends will be present. The band of H. M. S. Triumph will furnish music and a most enjoyable time is anticipated.

—Lake Ice for sale at J. Baker's, Pembroke St., above Douglas. Telephone Call No. 12.

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"THE WORKINGMEN'S FRIENDS."

Under this caption the *Weekly Colonist* of the 11th inst. says:

"About a year ago the contractor for the Goldstream road failed and skipped out. A large payment fell due before absolute failure evolved. What did the government do? Anxious that the workingmen in the contractor's employ (something like one hundred in number) should be hurt as little as possible, the Chief Commissioner caused enquiry to be made and finding that there was no reason to fear that if the contractor got money into his hands the workmen would suffer, he went out of his way and strained the law to pay the workmen as far as the money would go, instead of making the payment to the contractor, in accordance with the terms of the contract."

A correspondent who signs himself "One of Waugh's Victims," puts a very different phase on the organ's version and its apology for the Chief Commissioner of Land and Works negligence, stating that about two years ago the Goldstream wagon road was under construction. Two government officials saw the workingmen paid for the first month of the Waugh contract, which month was May 1884. The men who worked the following month have yet to get their money, and our correspondent tells us that he called at the treasury for his dues and was answered that it was not fair to ask the government to pay it. If it was unfair to pay the Waugh creditors, how was it all straight and above board to pay the McNamee Esquimalt cofferdam creditors? The workingmen had to pay two dollars per capita to get a job on the Waugh contract, and the SMITHE government permitted the contractor to seek foreign climes with the pay in his pocket or somewhere else, leaving about a hundred men in the lurch, and many of them "dead broke." Will the Chief Commissioner rise to explain his *intense anxiety* to see the workingmen get their money?

IRRESISTIBLY PERSUASIVE.

A London correspondent writing of Mr. GLADSTONE says that we are too ready to be interested in somebodies, and all too careless of principles, whether great or small. So far, I believe, Mr. GLADSTONE's latest essay in destruction is rather a personal triumph than not. That he proposes to break up the Empire, and buy the Irish out of Westminster and the opportunity of obstruction, seems to have awakened very little excitement and not much indignation. The great feature of the situation is that here is a man who at seventy-seven is able to speak for three hours and a half on end. That said speech is a complete and absolute contradiction of over half a century of public life, is little or nothing to the purpose; as little is it that he is commonly reported to have passed the narrow line by which great wits are divided from madness, and to be practically no longer responsible for his actions; as little that his ministers have left him one by one, and that he is alone against England, save for a doctrinaire like Mr. JOHN MORLEY and an adventurer like VERON HARCOURT. He is really a "miraculous Premier:" and that is sufficient. At three score and seventeen he can talk for four hours at a time, and the man who can do that is privileged to behave as he lists, and make ducks and drakes of the universe, if his humor that way inclines. Into the great question involved in the matter of this prodigy of oratory the nation does not seem disposed to enter. It may be right; it may be wrong; it is enough that it is GLADSTONE.

It is on this point of oratory that Mr. GLADSTONE is able to hold his own against the four corners of the state in arms. He has the oratorical temperament, the orator's voice, the orator's mind. He is irresistibly persuasive; he projects himself upon his audience in the same way with a great actor, and convinces them not through their intellects, but only through their emotions. For the moment your belief in him is an enthusiasm; it is only next morning, when you come to read in cold print what before you had heard, that you discover your error, and recognize that what you mistook for culmination of reason, argument, statesmanship, is no more than an effect of voice and manner and personality—in a word is only WM. EWART GLADSTONE. It is a magnificent quality; but it is not without its defects. I think it has made Home Rule at least distantly inevitable, and civil war a possibility the opposite of improbable or remote; and I cannot help wishing it had been better bestowed, or that its possessor had died ten years ago.

WELL executed counterfeit ten dollar bills on the Merchants' Bank of Canada, are in circulation in the east.

WHAT Nova Scotia wants is less taxation and the right to trade wherever she may find it to be to her advantage to do so.

THE once famous steamer "Great Eastern," will have her engines taken out at Liverpool before going to Gibraltar to end her days as a coal hulk.

THE senate will not confirm the nomination of Judge Dawson, of Alaska, but will reinstate Mc Allister, who succeeded Dawne and was summarily dismissed. What a world of bother Grover is having about that judgeship!

A BILL providing for the abolition of imprisonment for debt, had its first hearing before the Governor of New York, at Albany, on the 4th inst. Mr. Erastus Wiman is the moving spirit in this philanthropic legislation.

At the annual meeting of the Merchants' Bank, Montreal, General Manager Hague advised young men to transfer their energy to the North west, where there was a large field for their enterprise in taking up land. This was a great want in their country.

George Augustus Sala, having been invited to contest Hornsey, in the Liberal interest, replies that he would have consented to do so six months ago, but he is now a heart-broken, desolate old man, utterly without ambition, and with no heart to enter Parliament.

DURING May 2,000,000 lbs. of sugar were shipped from the Dartmouth refinery to points in Canada, outside of Novia Scotia. During the first eight days of the month of June 1,000,000 lbs. of sugar were shipped. Twenty-one cars of binding twine have just been loaded at the Dartmouth rope works for Manitoba, to be used for harvesting on the prairie. These cars will average 13 tons of twine net weight.

ONE of the resolutions adopted by the Knights of Labor at their Cleveland convention embodies a truth that the laws of every free country should seek to enforce. It declares it to be the sense of the general assembly that the occupation of the bribe giver and the bribe taker should be destroyed; that to do this it will be necessary to educate those who suffer most through bribery and corruption that it is hurtful to the welfare of the nation to receive a bribe or give one. There is no question about the soundness of this doctrine, and were it embodied in the legislation and strictly enforced there are few communities that might not benefit.

FROM Britain it is learned that the Gladstonians and the Home Rulers appear to base their hopes of carrying the elections on the Caucus. Mr. Schnadhorst, its chief, has pledged his reputation that the country will return a majority in favor of Mr. Gladstone and his Irish policy; and doubtless the screw of the "Machine" will be put on hard whenever possible. But the Caucus, though powerful, is not omnipotent. There is a feeling of repugnance towards it among English people; it is felt that its working is despotic, and people of independent thought ask wherein is the difference between a man elected and kept in power by votes under this machinery, and a despot kept in power by bayonets? The machinery of the Caucus will secure the votes of professional politicians and thick-and-thin partisans, but not of any one that attaches any value to his vote as a means of good government. And it is these independent voters, the fringe of the great electoral body, whose fluctuating vote causes such surprising reversals as were seen in the last two general elections in England, and in Canada in 1878,—it is this intelligent vote, based on the merits of the question of the hour, that will determine the present contest between the Unionists and Separatists.

MARRIAGES.

The Marriage With a Deceased Wife's Sister Still Under Discussion.

The question of marriage with a deceased wife's sister, which was not disposed off at last assembly, was introduced by Principal McKnight of Halifax, at the Hamilton Assembly, who offered this resolution: "Inasmuch as the Mosaic law recognizes a wide gradation in the matter of incest by prescribing death in some cases, minor penalties in others, and in other cases still, omitting to name any penalty; inasmuch as union with collateral kin is less offensive than union in the direct line of descent, and an adaptive relation by affinity is not so intimate as a natural relation by blood; and inasmuch as there is no explicit prohibition of marriage with a deceased wife's sister, and inferential arguments against such marriage are of doubtful validity,—Therefore, the General Assembly, with consent of Presbyteries, declare that the inferior courts are not required to exercise discipline in reference to the marriage of a deceased wife's sister, aunt or niece."

The principal, in support of his resolution referred to Leviticus, Chapter 20, and was very deep in the pros and cons of the question, when a brother called out that the 12th verse would knock all his arguments flat. On motion of Principal Caven of Toronto and Prof. Bryce of Winnipeg, the matter was referred to a special committee, with instructions to report on Saturday, Dr. McKnight consenting to withdraw his resolution.

Real estate on the retail portion of Yonge street, Toronto, has undergone a marked advance in price of late. It is stated that from $400 to $500 per foot frontage is asked for properties between Wilton avenue and Gerrard streets. In one case, a property with rough cast shop thereon, near Gerrard street, west side, changed hands at $375 per foot.

QUACK!

QUACK!

A $50,000 DUCK.

Every man ought to be aware that, as soon as he places his ballot in the box for Mr. Duck, he is actually voting to run the country $50,000 more into debt.—"Colonist," Feb. 9, 1876.

How true did the then supposed-to-be honest *Colonist* guage its bird! *Deficit of $129,454.23 on the 31st of December, 1885.*

QUACK!

Mr. Duck a Hen.

The Duck sat as quiet as a hen on her nest and said—nothing! The Workingman's candidate, indeed! The Workingmen's interest that Mr. Duck looked out for were—Mr. Duck's.—[Colonist, Feb. 11, 1876.

Jeremiah, chap. 13-23:—Can the Ethiopian change his skin, or the leopard his spots? * * *

A Portfolio for me; Government pap for my son.

QUACK!

Mr. Duck a Recreant.

And it is Mr. Duck and not Mr. Elliott who will come before the constituency in the character of a recreant. It is true that money has been town headcost. In that the late Government were too successful, and rumor says that no inconsiderable portion of it fell into Mr. Duck's furrow.—["Colonist," Feb. 10, 1876.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.

—'Tis true, 'tis pity and pity 'tis, 'tis true.

Allee samee in 1886!

QUACK!

Mr. Duck a Schoolboy.

Mr. Duck's speech had evidently been carefully "memorized." The sentences were of extraordinary length, and his manner was that of a school boy, having been wound up for examination, in rote himself in the presence of parents or guardians.—["Colonist," Feb. 18, 1876.

Did the "Colonist" foreshadow the side-splitting farce entitled: *"My Budget Speech or What I know about niggers."*

QUACK!

"Bartered his Independence!"

Mr. Duck fed sumptuously at the public table and always opposed the PUBLIC WHOSE BOUNTY HE ENJOYED. From the day that Mr. Duck BARTERED his independence for Government blacksmith work HIS USEFULNESS TO THE COUNTRY CEASED.—"Colonist," Feb. 18, 1876.

Confession of an honest soul, and true every word of it. *You know how it is yourself, St. David!*

QUACK!

Mr. Duck's Airs.

The "airs" that Mr. Duck assumed over his fellow workmen after he had succeeded by their votes in getting in the House. * * BEWARE OF DUCKS DISGUISED IN BORROWED PEUMAGE.—["Colonist," Feb. 21, 1876.

Free translation from Hindoo proverb: *"You can't make a whistle out of a pig's tail."*

QUACK!

A Decoy Duck!

It is too bad that the ex-Chief Commissioner should insist on holding up Mr. Duck as a mark to be shot at. Mr. Duck has no hope of success.—["Colonist," Feb. 8, 1876.

This world does not go by contraries. The HONEST *Colonist* opposed *the then* HONEST DUCK, and he was elected. WILL HE BE DEFEATED BECAUSE THE SAME PAPER NOW SUPPORTS HIM?

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE City of Victoria

GENTLEMEN—

The Legislative Assembly having been dissolved, I again respectfully solicit your suffrages. I consider that the record of the Smithe administration must condemn it in the eyes of all thinking men. Assuming office, as they did, when the province was in a prosperous financial condition, and when railway construction and the opening of railway communication with the Northern Pacific coast was attracting population to our shores, and when a firm defence of the rights of the province would have brought about a final and satisfactory settlement of our just claims against the Federal government, they have in the short space of three and a half years, during which they have held office, relinquished our rights; sold and given away the property of the province, illegally borrowed, and squandered money; and brought the country to the verge of that disaster which prevailed when Mr. Smithe was removed from the position of Finance Minister eight years ago. The government boast that the revenue has largely increased under their management; an analysis of the figures show that the increase is due to the sale of the graving dock; the sale of lands; the tax collected from men temporarily employed upon the railway; and the forfeiture of McNames & Co's deposit of nearly $12,000 on account of the dock contract. It is needless for me to point out that such sources of revenue cannot be relied upon in the future.

The fact was disclosed at the last sitting of parliament that the salaries of ministers, of civil servants, of the school teachers, and the grants to charitable institutions, were paid and the general business of the country carried on only through the courtesy of the manager of the Bank of British Columbia in honoring the Finance Minister's cheques, against which there were no funds to draw, and, as you will remember, the Legislature was asked to, and did sanction the issue of $200,000 in provincial bonds to meet the overdraft.

As I deem it to be the duty of a candidate to meet the electors upon a public platform in order to explain his views, I shall take an early opportunity to do so, assuring you that if elected I shall endeavor to advance the interests of this city and of the province generally.

ROBERT BEAVEN.

June 15, 1886.

TO THE ELECTORS —OF— VICTORIA CITY!

GENTLEMEN:—

I am again before you on the same side that I upheld about one year ago, when you gave me a most generous support.

If you confer on me the honor of electing me as one of your representatives I shall favor, to the best of my ability, a progressive and judicious policy, thereby endeavoring to avoid the business stagnation only too plainly existing at present, and shall favor the following measures:

Every possible encouragement to aid in opening up our mineral wealth and the prospecting of the country;

To make the laws in relation to members of the legislature more stringent, so far as relates to members having any direct or indirect connection either through relations or friends, with government contracts of any kind whatever, and by this means purify our legislative halls of every appearance of members taking advantage of their official position to further their own ends.

Laws for the protection of the tradesman and mechanic, whereby they can speedily recover small debts without appealing to the tedious process of the County Court.

I shall support all measures tending to the advancement and assistance of the toiling masses in every possible way, consistent with a just and honest course of action. Being a hard worker myself, I may possibly have a better knowledge of the wants of the workingman than those who do not labor with their hands.

Fair and square dealing with the government tenders for work, whereby all men, carpenters bricklayers or whoever they may be, shall have their tenders honestly and fairly dealt with, giving all men in the matter of tendering for government contracts a fair and equal chance with each other.

Equalization of taxation in every possible way.

To give every reasonable encouragement towards the projected building of a line of railway to North Saanich, provided the stipulated understanding is carried out that the rates of fare and freight are to be controlled by the people through legislative action, and with a further understanding that the said railway shall at any time become the property of the people of British Columbia, whenever they wish to pay a reasonable and fair price for acquiring the ownership of the said road, with a view of operating it as a government undertaking.

The erection of a large and stately building on the present old gaol site, shall receive my best support.

That all Jurymen shall be properly paid for loss of time.

To simplify the laws in relation to voting, so that all men, especially the working classes, shall be quickly and without delay and loss of time from their labor, placed on the voters lists. By this means they will have a vote, and control such legislative action, both on the Chinese question and all other questions relating to labor, as their numbers and influence justly entitle them to.

There are many other matters of great public utility that should be speedily introduced, all of which shall receive my careful attention.

If I am favored with your suffrages I shall work for your interests without any consideration of personal gain, beyond the honor you will confer on me in electing me as your representative, with the distinct understanding that if elected I shall support the opposition to the present Government, as I consider those in power are not entitled to the confidence of the people of the province at large, and more especially those resident in the important district of Victoria City.

I am, gentlemen, yours respectfully,

R. T. WILLIAMS.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA CITY.

GENTLEMEN:—

Having been requested by a number of my friends to become a candidate for Victoria City at the approaching Provincial election, it affords me much pleasure to accede to their request.

In accepting the nomination I wish to state that I am in opposition to the present Government. In stating so I have to say that no matter which side a measure may emanate from, that will confer the greatest good on the largest number, will always have my support.

I shall carefully study the interests of Victoria City and those of the Province in general.

At the first public meeting called by my friends I shall there explain my views more fully to the public.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen, your obt. servant,
R. LIPSETT.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF Victoria City District.

GENTLEMEN:

In acceding to the request of a number of voters to place myself in nomination to represent the City of Victoria at the coming Election, I beg to state that I am opposed to the present Government, and will only give my support to measures which, in my opinion, will be calculated to be for the good of the country at large.

I shall take the opportunity as early as possible, to lay my views more fully before you.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,

J. WRIGLESWORTH.

Victoria, June 21, 1886. june 21

TO THE ELECTORS OF VICTORIA CITY.

GENTLEMEN:

Having been solicited in a largely signed requisition to offer myself as a candidate for Victoria City at the approaching Provincial Election I have the honor to announce my compliance with the request.

In soliciting your votes and interest I have to state that I come forward as a supporter of the present Government, being quite satisfied that their policy has been beneficial to the Province.

If returned I shall give my support to every measure, emanating from whatever source, which has for its object the promotion of the welfare of this district and the province in general.

J. H. TURNER.

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TO THE ELECTORS OF

GENTLEMEN,—In soliciting the honor of your suffrages at the ensuing election, I do so at the request of a large number of electors.

I am in sympathy with the policy of the present Government, and so long as they continue to administer the affairs of the Province as heretofore they shall, if you do me the honor of electing me, receive my support.

At the same time, I wish it to be distinctly understood that I shall reserve to myself the privilege of studying what I may consider to be your interests before that of any party policy. At a public meeting to be held shortly I shall be happy to meet you and there express my views more fully.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,

Yours respectfully,

june14 E. G. PRIOR.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA CITY.

GENTLEMEN:—

For a second time I am a Candidate for a seat in the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.

In asking your suffrages, I can, I think, refer with confidence to my course as one of your representatives during the last four years.

It would be out of place now to enter into details respecting the votes I have given on the various measures brought before the House, beyond this, that I was actuated at all times and upon all measures by the sincerest desire to serve the best interests of our Province according to my judgment: and should you do me the honor to return me again, the progress and welfare of British Columbia will be my first object, and shall command my best exertions.

I shall take the opportunity of addressing you in Public meetings upon political topics when I shall endeavour to fully explain my views upon the issues of the day.

June 16 THEODORE DAVIE.

REQUISITION.

To R. Dunsmuir, Esq., M.P.P.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Electors and residents of Nanaimo District, wishing to be represented in the Provincial Parliament by gentlemen who we feel have the general welfare of the Province at heart, and believing from the large interests you have amongst us that your services will be of much value to this constituency, hereby request that you will allow yourself to be nominated as a candidate for the representation of this district at the next election, and we pledge ourselves to use our utmost endeavors to secure your return.

J. Webb, J. Pargeter, sr., W. Akenhead, G. Churchill, J. B. Greenwell, J. Gordon, Thos. Penny, C. Bennie, R. Nightingale, D. Jones, J. Phillips, J. Dick, P. Sabiston, J. Beck, W. L. LeBallister, C. Blank, W. H. Hopkins, John Swift, H. P. Smith, W. L. Jeffrey, W. M. Burke, J. T. O'Brian, J. Wilson, D. Johnson, W. Gibson, W. Quinn, A. Grant, H. McLean, A. McLeod, H. McAdie, J. McLeod, L. Page, S. Fiddick, J. Beavan, R. Waskins, G. McAllister, D. S. R. Roberts, R. P. Norris, A. Easson, H. Bolton, J. Norris, J. Bolton, J. Harvey, W. McDonald, Hugh Bolton, W. Harrison, W. Raybould, H. G. Leaycraft, T. Holton, W. Isbister, R. Evans, S. Brightman, J. J. Davis, J. Hoskins, jr., A. D. McKenzie, W. Aird, J. Pargeter, D. Smith, F. Pafford, T. Akenhead, T. Wilks, R. Richardson, M. Manley, J. J. Thomas, F. H. Pearce, P. R. Smith, N. Smith, C. York, B. Ison, J. B. Johnson, J. McDonald, C. L. Smith, S. Hudson, J. McIntosh, J. D. Edwards, W. Mansel, F. Coyne, G. Williams, E. Hoskins, W. Horne, R. Scott, S. Harrower, T. Kennedy, J. McNeil, J. Gilmore, A. Ross, L. Mounce, R. Beauchamp, J. Gillespie, John Woods, J. Robson, T. White, L. Jones, James Reid, G. Shilleto, J. Fraser, J. Turner, Wm. Hudson, W. J. Boiley, C. McDonald, and 208 others.

REPLY.

Victoria, 25th May, 1886.

TO MESSRS. J. WEBB, J. PARGETER, W. AKENHEAD and others.

GENTLEMEN,—Until the receipt of your numerously signed requisition it was not my intention to become a candidate for your district, for I felt that you might consider my time was so thoroughly occupied with my own business affairs that your interests could be better entrusted to other hands than my own. I cannot, however, disregard the requisition you have so kindly sent me, recognizing therein that whatever has been lacking in my effort on your behalf you credit me in the past with good intentions, and express confidence as to my conserving your interests in the future. I cannot afford to refuse compliance with the wishes of so many who are residents of a district in which I have spent the best portion of my life and in which they and myself have a common interest. I therefor heartily thank you for the nomination and cheerfully accept it, and if elected I shall do my best to promote the well being of your constituency.

I believe that the Government which I have supported during the past four years has materially advanced the prosperity of the Province, and while their efforts are continued in the same direction, I shall, if elected, render them independent support, believing such a course will be in the best interest of the country and in accordance with the view of the great majority of the whole people.

I am Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
R. DUNSMUIR.

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A. J. SMITH,

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Port Hammond	7 A M	.....	.....	.....	7 A M	.....	.....
Pitt River Pass	.....	.....	.....	.....	7 A M	.....	.....
Granville, Moodyville	.....	7 A M	.....	7 A M	.....	.....	12 M
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TO THE ELECTORS OF Victoria District.

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I am, as already announced, a candidate to fill the important position as one of your representatives in the Provincial Legislature, and I therefore respectfully solicit your support and confidence.

In order to obtain this it is doubtless necessary to indicate my opinions on the important political issues of the day.

In this address I shall only briefly allude to some of the most important questions now before the country, leaving the more detailed discussion for the meetings about to be held in various parts of the district.

I am opposed to any further alienation of Crown lands, which has been carried on to such an alarming extent by the present government.

The Settlement and Kootenay Bills and Coal Harbor extension transaction, I condemn, as being in many respects prejudicial to the best interests of the province.

If elected I shall use every effort to secure efficiency, consistent with economy, in the expenditure of the money appropriations for the roads in this district, and honestly endeavor to have all parts of the district treated in a just and impartial manner.

The Indian affairs of the province require some attention, as they are at present in a somewhat unsatisfactory condition.

This being essentially a farming district, and as I am identified with that pursuit, to a considerable extent, therefore to assured that, if honored with your choice, I shall lose no opportunity of advancing the agricultural interests of the province in general, and of this district in particular.

And now, gentlemen, in conclusion, I wish it to be distinctly understood that although in opposition to the present government, all measures consistent with the best interests of my constituents, shall receive the hearty support of my voice and vote, emanate from which side they may.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen, yours respectfully,

JOHN SLUGGETT.

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Victoria, Thursday, June 24, 1886.

MADRIGAL.

When all is said and sung what is the sum?
Love, only love!
What brightest dream hath youth of years to come?
Love, only love!
... retrospect turn dim eyes latest from?
Love, only love!
What word sounds sweetest in the poet's rhyme?
Love, only love!
What tales first told in some forgotten clime,
From heart to heart throb through the lapse of time?
Love, only love!
The guide-star of the soul's divine endeavor—
Love, only love!
The bond of lives which death can not dissever;
The litany the seraphs sing forever—
Love, only love!
—Charles L. Hildreth in New York World.

Boston's Professional Dog-Washer.

A Boston girl of 20 or thereabouts, one of the reigning belles belonging to one of the Back Bay families, was swinging down Beacon street the other morning, with cheeks flushed by the sharp air and the glow of health pulsing all through her body. She was out for her morning "constitutional" and also to give the same tonic to a hopelessly ugly Skye terrier that was tightly clasped by one arm just ... the swelling line of her well-proportioned figure, and whose shaggy face peered out in the world with the air of disgust that only Skye terriers wear. Opposite the public garden the girl and dog were met by another girl walking more leisurely and without a canine incumbrance. There was a kiss and a few words of chat that were soon ended by the exclamation from the girl who carried the pet: "Well, good-bye, Maud, dear, I must be back home by 10 o'clock, for Larsen comes at that hour to give sweet little Topsy his bath. Do come and see me." And so the girls separated.

Topsy was the ugly dog, of course, but who was Larsen? He is a respectable young German who earns an honest living by going around to the houses of the best people and giving baths to dogs. For small dogs he has 50 cents, and for 75 cents he washes any size dog, no matter how large, and furnishes his own soap and towels too. This is the latest Boston notion, and it grew up from a well-known lady's kindness. The German was out of work, and was known to the lady to be deserving. She had no work for him, but she put her brain to work, and then went around among her fashionable friends getting their promises of what dog patronage they could command. The result is that Larsen now has as a regular clientele as many dogs as he can attend to.—Boston Letter.

A Touch of Superstition.

A curious story was recently told me respecting the queen regent of Spain, which goes to prove that even that intelligent lady is not free from the touch of superstition to which it seems that all feminine minds, even of the strongest, are liable. On the day that the offer of King Alfonso's hand to the Archduchess Christina was officially made known to that young lady, she had, by some mischance, on rising put on garters of different colors. As the great good fortune of her life had come to her on that day, she never henceforward would consent to wear a pair of garters to match. One might be pale blue and the other rose color, or one was white and the other scarlet, etc. Thus it became a habit with the keeper of the royal wardrobe to order at a time several pairs of these silken articles, always of different tints.

But one day, while King Alfonso was very ill, it was discovered by the lady in waiting on the queen that by some mischance there remained on hand only three or four pairs, and they were all of one color—pale blue, if I remember rightly. In the hurry of Donna Christina's toilet, for she was in haste to return to her husband's bedside, this change in the small detail of her attire passed unnoticed. That day the king died, and when the young widow, woe-worn and heartbroken, was about to retire to rest, she suddenly became aware of the lapse from the small superstition of her happy years. "It was an omen!" she exclaimed, and she wept bitterly.—Lucy Hooper in New York World.

John Bull and His Insularity.

Insularity is in some respects a happy condition, but it fosters a strange blindness toward some very important political truths. I not now speak merely of its narrowing influence. We must all be more or less aware of this. We must be aware that we live in a kind of seclusion, in a kind of half ignorance that other nations really exist, that other languages are spoken. When a nation thus secluded arrives at great wealth and power this narrowness blends with self-satisfaction, and the compound which results is that peculiar character which foreign politicians know by the name of John Bull. They think him very conceited, very self-satisfied, and they are astonished at his ignorance of all the affairs which seem to them most important.

"It is prodigious," said Prince Kaunitz a century ago, "what these Englishmen do not know." If with all this ignorance the English prosper and grow rich, and keep an inviolate soil, when almost every country is trodden at times by foreign armies, these foreigners can not help respecting so much success; but yet they do not admit the explanation of it which commends itself to us; they do not think we are prosperous simply because we are wise and virtuous, for they hold to their opinion that we are ignorant, but they think that our insularity, the cause of our ignorance, is also the principal cause of our prosperity, since it keeps off enemies and diminishes the difficulties of foreign policy. —Professor Seeley in Nineteenth Century.

M. Pasteur's Intellectual Activity.

"Did you find M. Pasteur an interesting model?" I asked M. Bonnat.

"Not very interesting he replied. "He talks very little. He seems very gentle and simple. I imagine he adores his family and his grandchildren. I think he is a Christian, and even that he practices the observances of the church. But he apparently thinks of little except virus and rabbies, his intellectual activity, I should say, is limited to his chemical studies, whatever they may be for the moment, whether inoculation or the manufacture of vinegar. He is not a talker. Indeed, he is, perhaps, the least talkative of all the illustrious models I have had the honor of painting. In the course of the fifteen sittings which generally suffice to finish a portrait I usually get to know my model, almost as intimately as if I were of the family. Pasteur is an exception. He loves his chemistry; he loves his family, and that is about all I have discovered from his talk."—Paris Letter.

A Bird as an Omen of Good.

A bird known as the "silk-tailed chatterer" has lately reappeared in middle Germany after an absence of thirty years. The peasants consider the arrival of the songster as an omen of good, portending increased happiness and prosperity to the people.—Chicago Herald.

DIGNITY often tramps about in thin and threadbare clothes, while cheek rolls by in gorgeously furnished carriages.—[Des Moines Mail.

To Unfortunate Settlers on Island Railway Lands.

Seeing that an article entitled "to settlers on Island Railway lands" has occupied a prominent position in your paper for some time past, we beg leave to reply. The Settlement Act provides that all railway lands shall be open for four years to actual settlers for agricultural purposes in sections of 160 acres at $1 per acre. This, the above Act guarantees to settlers. The declaration made by R. Dunsmuir, President of the Company, would lead any one to suppose that they have been fulfilling all the requirements of the law, and not withholding said lands from actual settlers. This is not the case. The undersigned have been on said lands for various periods—all actual settlers—and cannot get any acknowledgment of their rights by the corrupt Smythe Government, or the Government boss, R. Dunsmuir, who has threatened to spend $10,000 to drive us from the land. Things are coming to a fine pass if Crocker's gold can corrupt the Minister of the interior, the Minister of justice and the Smithe Government, in defiance of both the letter and spirit of the law. From his (Dunsmuir's) past actions we can only judge what to expect in the future—who has abused the power placed in him by his constituents is is not worthy to be trusted a second time. Is Mr. Dunsmuir able to get th's act of injustice as easily legalized as his deviations from the terms of the Island Railway contract.

S. WADDINGTON,
D. HOGGAN, P. BRODIE.

Supreme Court.

In the matter of ALEX. McLEAN and others, Plaintiffs; and the CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA and THOMAS RUSSELL, Water Commissioner, Defendants, and of the Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873, and the Amending Acts.

ON THE APPLICATION of Mr Russell, the Water Commissioner, and by and with the consent of Mr. McLean, acting on behalf of himself and others who obtained the Injunction in this cause, and on the undertaking of the Mayor by and on behalf of the Corporation, and Mr. Russell, the Water Commissioner, that a fair and ample supply of water shall be furnished to the residents and taxpayers on the upper levels of the city for and during the period hereinafter named and with a view to enable an available plan to be considered and matured for securing an ultimate permanent supply to the residents of the upper levels as well as those of the other parts of the city: It is hereby ordered that the period named in the Order of this Court dated the 27th day of May last, for the temporary suspension of the Injunction be hereby extended to and until the 10th day of August next, without prejudice to the rights of the Mayor and Corporation, the Water Commissioner, or the parties obtaining the Injunction, and with leave to all or either of the said parties to apply in case of noncompliance with the order.

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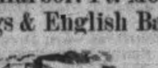

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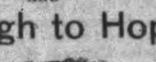

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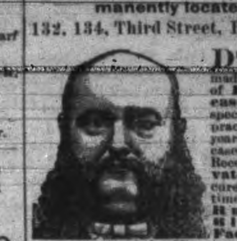

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Robert Lipsett,

Robert Taylor Williams,

Joseph Wriglesworth.

DIED.

DRAKE—In this city, on the 23rd inst., Isabel Jane, wife of Richard Drake, aged 39 years.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, 26th inst., at 2 p.m., from her late residence, Quadra street.

The Opposition Committee will meet every evening at the Committee rooms, corner of Yates and Langley Streets.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—"Bunch of Keys" at the Victoria to-night.

—Read Cameron's address to the electors. *

—Ice cream freezers at E. G. Prior's Government street. *

—Pendray & Co.'s Oatmeal Toilet Soap is gaining in favor every day. *

—If you want a modern building, have your plans made by Fisher the Architect.*

—The Sal Soda and Washing Powder manufactured by Pendray & Co., is the best in the market and cheap, too. *

—Millinery, Feathers and Flowers at cost. Childrens mantles and jackets at cost at the CITY HOUSE. †

—Ice cream in quantities to suit, delivered in any part of the city by Young Bros., New England Bakery.

—The North Pacific's freight list was small to-day, the consignees being H. Tilton, 400 sacks of flour, J. Weiler, T. Earle, F. A. McRae, A. P. Hotaling & Co.

—Ladies' Indian Gauze, Summer Merino and Silk and Wool Underwear. Lightest goods manufactured for warm weather, at the CITY HOUSE. †

—Good boys, about 14 years of age, can find employment by applying at THE TIMES office in company with either their father or mother, at 10 a. m.

—T. J. Jones, L.D.S., has removed his dental rooms over the new Bank of British Columbia, corner of Government and Fort streets. Telephone Call No. 507.*

—DRESSMAKERS desirous of making up the most stylish and fashionable COSTUMES and MANTLES should inspect the new trimmings lately received by the City House.

—The thoroughbred Jersey Bull "El Rio," No. 13698, at Kelvin street, (opposite Tolmie's gate) Saanich Road. For particulars of service apply to F. REVELY, Victoria. P. O. Box 438. *

—Mrs. V. A. LePrince, Fashionable Dressmaker; wedding and mourning dresses a specialty. Dress makers wanted. Government street, next to Bank of British Columbia. †

—The wharf presented a lively appearance to-day on the arrival of the Sound steamer. Besides the Raymond excursion party, the "Bunch of Keys" troupe were there with a fair sprinkling of individual travelers as well.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver. *

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C., have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References.

—Readings by Miss Lola Collin, a talented and popular San Francisco elocutionist and graduate of the Boston school of elocution and expression, in the school room of the Frst Presbyterian church, on Saturday evening, 26th inst. Proceeds for the benefit of the Y.M.C.A. Admission, 50 cts. *

—No quorum of the City Council being present last evening at 7:45, the regular weekly meeting was not held, but as councillor after councillor dropped along at 8 o'clock and a little later some committee work was done in the City Clerk's office. His Worship, Mayor Fell, reminded the "late" councillors of the necessity of punctuality.

—The Bunch of Keys Co., or the Hotel, open here this evening. This company have been received in all parts of the American continent with great enthusiasm. They played fifty nights at the Bush Street Theatre, San Francisco. Their songs, music, medleys, dancing, are all new. If you want a good laugh go and see them, and learn how to run a hotel.

"A BUNCH OF KEYS."

The San Francisco *Chronicle* says of the performance of the above play at the Bush street theatre: "A Bunch of Keys drew the largest audience of all last night, and the house was packed. The favorite play remains much the same so far as the fun goes, and that is of a long-lived kind. The music is new and bright. Marietta Nash, who played the servant before, now plays Teddy, is quite as amusing, and dances as well as ever. Another little woman very like her has taken her place and does the same old business very brightly. Canfield is still to the front, and his mouth is even more expressive then before. The lawyer is played well by W. C. Crosbie. The crowded audience enjoyed the piece very much, and a Bunch of Keys has apparently taken a new lease of life."

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

We wish to call special attention to a nice assortment of millinery and straw goods now being opened which will be found of the latest styles and most fashionable colors. Also to a variety of new dress materials plushes, laces, mitts, gloves, etc. These goods comprise the latest novelties in the market, and were selected personally by Mr. E. White, and are marked at prices that will insure a speedy sale.

BROWN & WHITE.

The Annual Strawberry Festival will be held in the Methodist Church, Pandora Street, on Friday evening, June the 25th. A choice programme by the best talent of the city. Admission—Single Tickets 50; two for 75 cts; Children 25c. Proceeds to go for the new school room.

The Methodist Church Sabbath School Picnic on Dominion Day to Peddar Bay and return, $1. Tickets for sale at the Book Stores.

THE RIGHT OF WAY.

An application by counsel for the C. P. R. to the Supreme Court to dissolve an injunction procured by Messrs. Webster and Johnston through whose property the extension to Vancouver runs, has been refused.

OUR CITY SCHOOLS.

Closing Midsummer Exercises at the Theatre Comique.

The closing exercises of the Central school were held in the Theatre Comique to-day. The building was crowded in every corner by the boys and girls of the public and high schools neatly dressed in holiday attire. The proceedings were of an unusually interesting character, and were participated in by all the members of the board, the teachers, Mayor Fell, Archdeacon Scriven and many others. The following is a list of the promotions, prizes, etc.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.—7TH DIVISON TO 6TH.—Miss Elinor Carmichael, teacher. Chas. Kermode, Gussie Morris, Walter Kinnear, Thomas Fawcett, Francis Sketch, Ezra Carlow, Archibald Pearse, Charles Draney, William Henry Bland, Arthur Haddock, Ernest Carthew Pendray, Thos. Hickey, Walter Shotbolt, Walter Archibald Dods, Claude Rogers, Robert Campbell, Carl Pendray, James Haughton, Frank Wittet, Lambert Thompson.

PROMOTIONS.—6TH DIVISION TO 5TH.—Miss Christina Forrest, teacher. John Herbert Elford, Charles Frederick Banfield, John August Morley, Wm. Frank Fraser, Walter Frederick Askew, James Allan Bland, Ivan George, Robert Cameron, James Herbert Draney, John Reid Wilson.

PROMOTIONS.—5TH DIVISION TO 4TH.—Miss Emily J. Gardiner, teacher. Wm. M. J. Smithe, Charles Philip Schnoeter, William James McKay, David George Kurtz, Mathew Redmond, Herbert Northcott, Charles McNeil, Alexander Blair Gray, Walter Ed. Adams, Marquis H. V. Ellis, Allan John Whittet.

PROMOTIONS.—4TH DIVISION TO 3RD.—Miss Annie Gowen, teacher. John Kermode, Donald Andrew Fraser, William Catterall, Frank H. Schnoeter, Henry A. McKillican, Joseph Henry Isaacs, Craig Millar, Jack Catterall, William Calvin Jackson, Frederick George, Edward R. Vigor, Turner Carlow.

PROMOTIONS—3D DIVISION TO 2D—Mr Archibald Dods, teacher—Chas. Holmes, Wm. N. Winsby, Wm. Russell, Joseph F. Sharp, Eugene Price Miller, George Winter, Alexander Finlaison, Francis Kermode, Richard H. Carr, Cecil K. Courtney.

PROMOTIONS—2D DIVISION to 1st—Mr. Joseph H. Thain, teacher—William John Finlayson, Henry Ward Dodd, James F. Hall, William B. Sylvester, William H. Finlayson, Charles T. Pardoe, Frank Higgins, Lovell Wm. Sea.

PROMOTIONS—1ST DIVISION TO HIGH SCHOOL—J. A. Halliday, teacher—Wm. McDowell, Milton Benj. Oppenheimer, Henry A. E. Courtney, Charles Steele, James Graham Ure, Henry Gerrard Mason.

PROVINCIAL ROLL OF HONOR.

FIRST DIVISION—Proficiency, Wm. McDowell; deportment, Edward King Brown; punctuality and regularity, Wm. N. Lenfesty.

SECOND DIVISION—Proficiency, Wm. Sylvester; deportment, Henry W. Dodd; punctuality and regularity, James Hepworth.

THIRD DIVISION—Proficiency, Charles Holmes; deportment, Geo. F. Askew; punctuality and regularity, Albert James.

FOURTH DIVISION—Proficiency, John Kermode; deportment, Thos. Humphreys; punctuality and regularity, Harry McKillican.

FIFTH DIVISION—Proficiency, Wm. M. J. Smith; deportment, Marquis Ellis; punctuality and regularity, Edward Ure.

SIXTH DIVISION—Proficiency, Herbert J. Elford; deportment, John A. Morley; punctuality and regularity, Robert Chas. Smith.

SEVENTH DIVISION—Proficiency, Chas. Redmond; deportment, Gus. Morris; punctuality and regularity, Walter Shotbolt.

GIRLS' DEPARTMENT.

PROMOTIONS.—FROM II. TO I.

1, K Levi; 2, E J King; 3, K C Houlihan; 4, M M McDonald; 5, J A Maslin; 6, E Carr; 7, E A Henrich; 8, M E Stephen; 9, L Davey; 10, L Sears; 11, M F Whittaker; 12, A L Ball.

FROM III TO II.

1, M Crockford; 2, S Eckert; 3, M Giles; 4, M Rogers; 5, J Walsh; 6, F Calder; 7, B Lenfesty; 8, T Johnston; 9, C Baker; 10, J Fraser; 11, M Carlow; 12, M Kinsman; 13, A Blackbury; 14, C Smith; 15, Adela Mortimer, L McKenzie.

FROM IV TO III.

1, L O Elford; 2, E Haughton; 3, M J Gilmore; 4, P Frank; 5, A G Jones; 6, M Frank; 7, J Batchelor; 8, E Laylor; 9, O L Wilson; 10, N Luney; 11, B H Frank; 12, C A Bloomfield; 13, G M Buckett; 14, A M Whitworth; 15, N M Phelps; 16, E J Crockford, 17, E E Stannard.

FROM V TO IV.

1, M M Isaacs; 2, F L Shotbolt; 3, E V Humphreys; 4, E A Kettle; 4, K C White; 4, F W Moody, 5, E M Johnston; 6, E A Williams; 7, A E Couves; 8, H Maynard; 9, M L Grant; 9, M M Creech; 10, L M Watkins; 11, A M Smith; 12, L Vaughan.

FROM VI TO V.

1, J Jonassen; 2, E F Steers; 3, G E Lawes; 4, G H King; 5, M E Lawes; 6, E A Blake; 7, S A Bloomfield; 8, N G Whitworth; 9, M Houlihan; 10, F Saunders; 11, E B Courtney; 11, B Humphreys; 12, A M Gowdy; 13, F Holness; 14, E Roberts; 15, A Rossut; 16, G Allan.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

The following pupils have passed the High School entrance examination held June 7th and 8th, 1886: Miss F Fraser, Miss O Northcotte, Miss G Withrow, Miss E Booth, Miss E McConnell, Miss G Fawcett, Miss E M Wilson.

PRIZES 1ST DIVISION GIRLS—Dictation and Spelling—Miss K Denny and Miss O Northcott, equal.

Writing—Miss G Withrow.

Composition—Miss M Tite.

Mental Arithmetic—Miss L Catheart.

Written Arithmetic—F Fraser and Miss O Northcott, equal.

Geography and Grammar—F Fraser.

History—Miss M Tite.

JUNIOR DIVISION—Composition, Miss A Davey.

Written Arithmetic—Miss A Mausie.

Geography—Miss K Fraser.

History—Miss A Davey.

SENIOR—Deportment, Miss C Watson; proficiency, Miss F Fraser; punctuality, Miss L Horton.

JUNIOR—Proficiency, J Hurd.

DIVISION IV.—GIRLS.

Government Diplomas—Lilly Olive Elford, proficiency; Olive Askew, deportment; Josephine Lilian Burkholder, regularity.

PRIZES.

Evangeline Haughton, 2nd prize general proficiency; Mary Jane Gilmore, 3rd prize, general proficiency; Paula Frank, 1st prize, mental arithmetic; Annie Godding Jones, 1st prize, mental arithmetic; Mamie Frank, general proficiency; Jennie Batchelor, composition and grammar, full marks; Elizabeth Taylor, English grammar, full marks; Gertrude Ball, English grammar, full marks; Olivia Clifton Wilson, English grammar, full marks; Nettie Luney, 1st prize, diligence and deportment; Bertha Hannah Frank, general proficiency; Caroline Alice Bloomfield, 2nd prize, written arithmetic; Gertrude May Buckett, diligence and deportment; Ada Maud Whitworth, English grammar, full marks; Naomi Maud Phelps, 2nd prize, geography; Ethel Julia Crockford, 1st prize, geography; Eda Emma Stannard, diligence and deportment; Annie Elizabeth Ross, diligence; Caroline Snider, English grammar, full marks; Harriett Annie Newbury, diligence and deportment; Celia Gertrude Powell, diligence and deportment; Emily Jane Coates, 1st prize, deportment; Dora Van Volkenburg, diligence.

THIRD DIVISION—ROLL OF HONOR.

General proficiency, Mary H. Crockford; regularity and punctuality, Gertrude Ure; deportment, Matilda Coates.

PRIZES.

Composition, Susie Eckert; reading, Adela Mortimer; mental arithmetic, Mabel Kinsman, Josie Walsh; written arithmetic, Maggie Rodgers, Barbara Lenfesty; grammar, Florence Calder; geography, May Giles; successful competitor in spelling match, Laura Borthwick; greatest improvement in writing, Janie Burnett (prize presented by Miss Cameron); deportment, Henrietta Ball, Clara Baker, Flossie Lettice and Agnes Blackbourn; Mary Crockford, head of class, (prize presented by Mayor Fell.)

ROLL OF HONOR—SECOND DIVISION.

Deportment, Alice Louisa Ball; punctuality and regularity, Amelia Lawrence; proficiency, Kate Levi.

Other Prizes—Map drawing, Emily Carr; composition, Minnie McDonald; mental arithmetic, Kate Houlihan; reading, Jane Maslin; history, Lucy Davie; dictation and spelling, May Stephen; second in deportment, Eliza King; grammar, Mary Whittaker.

HIGH SCHOOL.

SENIOR DIVISION PRIZE LIST.—MR. J. N. MUIR, TEACHER.

Reading—1, Eliz. Workman; 2, Sarah Robinson, Emily Baker, Nicoline S. Becker, and Francis B. Gibbs.

Dictation and Spelling—1, Alice G. Lee; 2, Ed. F. Doran and Emily Baker; 3, Eliz Workman.

Writing—1, Sarah Kermode; 2, Hallie M. Pope, John C. Boyd; 3, Wm. A. Lawson.

Geography—1, Hallie M. Pope; 2, A. E. Haynes; 3, Ed. F. Doran.

English Grammar—1, Hallie M. Pope; 2, Alice G. Lee; 3, Sarah Robinson.

Composition—1, Alice G. Lee; 2, W. F. C. Pope; 3, Hallie M. Pope.

Music Vocal—1, Arthur E. Haynes; 2, Eliz E. Carr; 3, Sarah Robinson.

Botany—1, Alice G. Lee; 2, John C. Boyd; 3, Eliz E Carr.

Hygiene—1, W. F. C. Pope; 2, Eliz Workman and Alice G. Lee; 3, Arthur E. Haynes.

Greek—1, Sarah Robinson; 2, Hallie M. Pope; 3, W. F. C. Pope.

French—1, Eliz Workman; 2, Florence Butler; 3, John C. Boyd.

Latin—1, W. F. C. Pope; 2, Hallie M. Pope; 3, John C. Boyd.

History of Greece—1, Arthur Haynes and John C. Boyd; 2, Ed. F. Doran; 3, Eliz Workman.

History of Rome—1, Arthur E. Haynes; 2, John C. Boyd; 3, W. F. C. Pope.

Book-keeping—1, Eliz E. Sylvester; 2, Hallie M. Pope and Sarah Robinson; 3, John C. Boyd and Fred. W. Davey.

Natural Philosophy—1, Ed. F. Doran; 2, John C. Boyd, Arthur E. Haynes and W. F. C. Pope.

Trigonometry—1, W. F. C. Pope; 2, F. W. Davey; 3, John C. Boyd.

Euclid—1, W. F. C. Pope; 2, Arthur E. Haynes; 3, F. W. Davey.

Algebra—1, John C. Boyd; 2, Arthur E. Haynes; 3, Sarah Robinson.

Mensuration—1, W. F. C. Pope; 2, Jno C. Boyd; 3, Arthur E. Haynes.

Written Arithmetic—1, Eliz. E. Sylvester and W. F. C. Pope; 2, John C. Boyd; 3, Fred. W. Robertson.

Mental Arithmetic—1, John C. Boyd, W. F. C. Pope, F. W. Davey, Eliz. E. Sylvester, Jeanette Mebius.

English History—1, F. W. Davey; 2, A. E. Haynes; 3, Hallie M. Pope.

Favorite of the school by vote of the school—Miss Emily Baker.

Prize for truthfulness by vote of the school—Miss Edith Lettice.

Prize for deportment—Miss Jeanette Mebius.

Prize for good conduct—Ed. F. Doran.

Roll of Honor—Proficiency, John C. Boyd; regularity and punctuality, Miss Clara E. Ure; deportment, Wm. C. Wilson.

Prize presented by G. F. Wright, Esq., for changing prose into poetry awarded to Ed. F. Doran.

Promotions from Mr. Offerhaus' division of the High School to senior division of High School: Misses Hill, C. Austin, A. Robertson; Masters A. Cartmel, G. Gardner, R. Savage; Misses G. Steele, L. Sylvester, S. Humber.

SCHOOL PROMOTIONS.

The following are the promotions in the Johnson Street Ward school at the midsummer examination:

PROMOTIONS.

First Class to Central School—1st, Marie E. Gaudin; 2d, Joseph Keirchberg; 3d, Minnie Nichols; 4th, William P. Grant; 5th, Henry Smeithurst; 6th, Mabel Gaudin; 7th, George H. Baker; 8th, Isabella Milne; 9th, George Baker; 10th, Nellie Rudge; 11th, David Sellick; 12th, Henry Heisterman.

Second Division to First Class—1st, Francis Devereaux; 2d, Mary E. Foster; 3d, Herbert Heathorn; 4th, Talbot Devereaux; 5th, Florence Wood; 6th, Emil H. Erb; 7th, Peter Cook; 8th, Freddie Morris; 9th, Albert Sherk; 10th, Eugene Morrison.

From Second to First Class—Hannah Clarke, Peter Kenny, Mary Batchelor, Robert Irvine, Franklin Sherk, Emerson Turpel, Milton Gilchrist.

From Third to Second—1st, George Wall; 2d, Ralph Stevens; 3d, Maggie McLean; 4th, Harry Pridham; 5th, Eva McLean; 6th, Frank Reynolds.

From Fourth to Third Class—Grace Pease, James Milne, Verna Heisterman, Nelson Shepherd, Bertie Wilson, James Smith, Thos. Kermode, Alledo Horner, Lylie Rowe, Walter Woollacott, Albert Buckler, Gertie Collins.

From Fifth to Fourth Class—Benj. Nicholas, Raymond Hookway, Harry Wilson, William Horth, Lucy Clarke, Annie Pamphlet, Edward Kermode, Kate Robertson, Kate Hookway, Emily Rowe, Stephen Barker, Albert Bechtel, Fred Galer, Cora Findlay.

THE WEEKLY TIMES.

This superb journal will be ready for the public in the morning. The current number is a perfect gem, containing a vivid account of the Vancouver fire from a lady correspondent, and other details relating to the terrible holocaust. The editorials are timely, the provincial and foreign news are there just the same. A splendid present for an absent friend is THE WEEKLY TIMES, which is for sale at the book-stores and this office; price 10 cents.

THE CONCORDIA.

The old Edinburgh saloon on Douglas street has been changed into a music hall by Mr. H. F. Sieward of the Germania. The place has been tastefully fitted up and will be opened in a few days. The proprietor intends keeping a first-class establishment in every respect; plenty of reading matter for the literary, and music for the musical. Beer at 5cts. a glass will be supplied to the thirsty.

WELL PROVIDED FOR.

Among the names on Mr. Theodore Davie's nomination papers are those of Thos. Storey, undertaker, and George Rudge, stone cutter and monument builder. Evidently expecting political death on the 7th July. Mr. Davie has provided with the necessary people to attend to his interment and the perpetuation (?) of his memory.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. J. Southgate, Esq., one of Victoria's pioneer and most popular merchants, arrived this morning on a visit from England.

Miss Pemberton, daughter of J. D. Pemberton, Esq., returned from England to-day.

Mrs Allen and family, Mrs. P. Carey, J. Coughlin, R. Winters, Miller, and T. Gowdy were passengers by the Louise this morning to Vancouver.

Passengers by the North Pacific were: Mrs Casey, A Kirkland and wife, J H Reed, C Gough and wife, Miss Gibson Fraser, Mrs Stoop and 2 children, J Williamson, J Scurr, C Whittlesey and wife, A W Benson, H Knit, S L Bird and wife, Miss F R Fitch, Miss S G Fitch, Miss L Fitch, Miss W Fitch, Dr Mary Gale, Mrs H Homer, M B Homer, H S Bowe, H S Jenkins, B Jenney, Maj C L Jones, Miss Macomber, Chas Mann and wife, Miss G Morris, Hon G B F Osgood, J F Osgood, Miss Pheetteplace, G W Smith and wife, Jno Steele, M W Walker, Mrs J L Williams, Hon E Wright, Miss Maffett, M A Wilkesbarre, L L Holden, W G Cameron, Mr and Mrs Towey, Mr and Mrs Caufield, Miss Seymour, Miss Cohen, W C Crosby, C B Stevens, R Wethers, W Smith, J Baker, T W Calhoun, 4 Indians, 1 Chinaman.

THE COWICHAN ELECTION.

Mr. Booth's Explanation as to "Informality."

Mr. Booth, candidate for Cowichan district, as an honest opposition supporter, and ever an opponent of corruption, writes to THE TIMES from Maple Bay, under date of the 23d, and states that the informality in filling [illegible] nomination paper was mere[ly a tech]nical objection raised by the [return]ing officer. Mr. Booth says this: "In signing the paper I only filled in the blank in the printed form left for the candidate to fill up. This the Returning Officer held was not a proper signature—that my name should have been signed also underneath. Mr. Booth naturally feels he was right and honest as the only object of the nomination paper is to satisfy the Returning Officer that it is a *bona fide* nomination "of that," Mr. Booth adds: "There could be no doubt as my name was there witnessed by the usual number of electors but the Returning Officer decided that it would not do." Let the electors digest this piece of government punctiliousness if they can without a good deal more in it than appears on the surface.

AN AWFUL ACCUSATION.

Yesterday morning, says the New Westminster *Guardian* of the 23d inst., in the Colonial hotel, Mr. Sharpe, lately a constable in the district, went up to Mr. Jas. Orr, M. P. P., and said: "You support Robson, and you should not do so. That man offered me money to make you drunk and to arrest you. Of course, I refused to do so mean a trick, but he offered me the money." Mr. Orr went up by the boat to Chilliwhack yesterday thoroughly resolved to have an explanation from the honorable burglar who attempted to rob him of his character. The pious shams we have here represent all the iniquities.

SCHOOL EXAMINATION.

The Theatre Comique has been crowded all day with bright school children and fond parents. Prizes were distributed by Mayor Fell, S. D. Pope, and members of the School Board. At 3 o'clock Lieut.-Governor Cornwall arrived when the pupils of the high school, under the leadership of Mr. Offerhaus, sang the National Anthem. Remarks were made by Mayor Fell, Rev. D. Fraser, S. D. Pope, and others. One gentleman made a loud [illegible] lengthy harangue in which politics were the main subject dealt with. The lateness of the hour prevents us from giving a more lengthy report.

AN AMERICAN KNIGHT.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—The Emperor of China has conferred upon Consul F. A. Bee the order of the Knight of Red Dragon, for his services in preserving amicable relations between China and the United States. This is the only instance of American citizen being thus honored.

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THE BRITISH COLUMBIA STATIONERY AND PRINTING CO. (Limited), J. B. FERGUSON, General Manager.

GOSNELL'S SUGAR CURED HAMS are now ready at his store, corner Cormorant and Douglas streets. *

SCOTCH BAKERY.—J. Russell, SCOTCH BAKERY, Douglas street, near Johnson Victoria, B. C. All kinds of Scotch pastry; Tea bread fresh every day; hot mutton pies. *

For fancy cakes, bread, pies, and crackers of all kinds leave your order at the New England bakery, Government street. Wedding cakes made to order at short notice. Fresh oysters always on hand. Goods delivered to all parts of the city. Young Bros. *

NEW TO-DAY.

Signed in Ignorance.

[COPY.]

I hereby certify that the paper purporting to be a letter of "Address of Welcome" to Mr. Francis, which appeared in the Colonist, May 26th, was signed by me without knowledge that it contained a "recommendation for his re-instatement," being deceived by Capt. Walker, who assured me that it was simply an "address of welcome," and I therefore did not read it. Signed,

W. J. McKEON,
WM. McKEON & SON.

Victoria, May 27, 1886.

"A NEW ERA."

THE BENEFITS OF THE

Grape Cure

IN AMERICA

Concentrated in one Bottle without the Expense of an European Journey.

SAL-MUSCATELLE

The crystallized salts as extracted from grapes and fruit: a most wonderful product from Nature's laboratory; the greatest sovereign preparation ever placed before the American public. Sal Muscatelle is Nature's own product; it supplies [illegible] and should be the constant companion to business men [illegible] and children. Have it in your homes, travels, summer resorts and sea-side cottages.

THE TOPIC OF THE DAY.

Sick Headache and Dyspepsia Cure.

Sal-Muscatelle is the best preventive and cure for all functional derangements of the liver, biliousness, sick headache, temporary congestion arising from alcoholic beverages, giddiness, oppression, vomiting or of feeling of melancholy. ERRORS IN DIET, EATING OR DRINKING; for all accidental indigestion arising from hasty meals, nervousness, impure blood, nettlerash, itching, or any other over-acid state of the blood; boils, skin eruption, commencement of diphtheria, the effect of mercurial poisons and at the beginning of all fevers; measles, chicken pox prickly heat, rheumatic and gouty poison due to impure blood, and sourness of stomach.

Prepared by the LONDON SAL-MUSCATELLE Co LONDON, ENGLAND.

Beware of imitations. The genuine in "blue wrappers only."

Send for circulars to G. EVANOVITCH General American Manager, P. O. Box 1968, New York City

Mention this paper.

For sale by LANGLEY & Co and THOMAS SHOTBOLT, Victoria, B. C.

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PAINTING.

Classes in oil painting, drawing and decorative work of various kinds will be opened Wednesday, June 2d, by Mrs. E. J. Miller, in the room over Mr. Waitt's music store. For particulars apply to M. W. Waitt & Co. *

—If you want an article that will give you satisfaction every time, try Pendray & Co.'s Blue Mottled Soap. *

Artistic Binding executed in this Province ONLY by R. T. Williams; and out of the Province by the other (?) Binder, assisted by un-British Nepotism of the present Local Government.

NEW TO-DAY.

TENDERS.

TENDERS will be received up to 12 o'clock, at noon, on Saturday, the 26th inst., for the erection of a Brick Business Block at Vancouver. Plans and specifications to be seen at my office

E. H. FISHER, Architect.

June 24-2t

Notice to Builders.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, 5th July, at noon, for the erection of a Villa Residence facing Beacon Hill Park.

Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.

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For Fort Simpson, Queen Charlotte Island and Way Ports.

CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS.

THE FINE NEW SCREW STEAMER

"Barbara Boscowitz,"

Will sail from Spratt's Wharf On TUESDAY, JUNE 29, At midnight.

No freight will be received after 5 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday.

For freight or passage, apply to GEORGE E. MUNRO, Agent, At J. D. Warren's office, Wharf street

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VICTORIA THEATER

Under the patronage of His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Sir Michael Culme Seymour,

THE CHIMES OF NORMANDY

Will be reproduced on the 28th inst. BY THE VICTORIA

Dramatic and Operatic Society,

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE VANCOUVER SUFFERERS.

Seats can be reserved at Lombard's Music Store, on and after Friday, 25th inst., without extra charge.

PRICES AS USUAL. june18

Provincial Elections.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A PUBLIC MEETING of the Electors of the Victoria City District will be held in the

PHILHARMONIC HALL

ON

Saturday Evening, June 26.

The policy of the Government, as well as other questions now engaging public interest, will be discussed by

Messrs. Beaven, Williams, Lipsett, and Wriglesworth,

THE OPPOSITION CANDIDATES

Chair to be taken at 8 o'clock.

Victoria, June 23. je 23

VICTORIA THEATER

FRYE & BEEDE .... MANAGERS

JUNE 24 and 25.

First appearance here of the

Original Sparks Co.

EDOUINE & SAYER, Proprietors, In the greatest of all sensations,

"A BUNCH OF KEYS,"

Or, THE HOTEL.

Everything new—The Medleys, the Songs, Dances, Funny Sayings, etc.

Reserved seats now on sale at Waitt's Book Store. J. F. PICKERING, Local Manager. je21

GRAND

Ball and Exhibition

JUNE 26th, 1886.

QUEEN CITY BRASS BAND

Will give a Ball and Exhibition on SATURDAY EVENING next, at the Agricultural Grounds, Beacon Hill. Slack Wire, Tumbling and Horizontal Bar performance to commence at 7 p. m. Dancing in the pavilion from 8 to 12, midnight.

ADMISSION—Gents, 50c.; Ladies 25c. Refreshments on the grounds. Grand Parade at 6.45 p.m.

F. CAMPBELL, Jr., Manager.

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A TROTTING RACE

—FOR—

$150 A SIDE

Will take place at the

Victoria Driving Park,

On Saturday, 26th inst.,

Between Davis' horse MACK and Gerow's horse JIM.

Mile heats—best two in three.

ADMISSION 50 cents.

june22 L. J. BIRDSALL, Proprietor.

Notice to Shippers from San Francisco.

THE STEAMSHIP

SARDONYX,

S. W. BUCKNAM Master,

WILL SAIL FROM SAN FRANCISCO

THURSDAY, JUNE 24th, 1886,

Carrying Freight and Passengers for

Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo.

For rates of Freight and Passage, apply at the office of E. Crowe Baker or H. Saunders.

Agent in San Francisco,

june21 J. GUTTE, 307 California street.

For San Francisco.

Carrying H. M. Mails and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s and Northern Pacific Express.

The Pacific Coast Steamship Co.'s Steamer

"MEXICO,"

CAPTAIN HUNTINGTON,

Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on

Saturday, June 26, at 1 p. m.

Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments. Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 6 o'clock P. M. on Friday, June 25.

For Freight and Passage apply to

WELCH, RITHET & CO., Agent

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A Public Call for Coin!

From the well known and long established Pawnbroker of Victoria.

Pledges now on hand must be sold.

Being determined to convert Unredeemed Pledges into CASH.

Look at the following list. Bargains to actual purchasers will be offered.

Solitaire Diamond Rings.
Solitaire Diamond Earrings.
Opal and Diamond Rings.
Solid Gold Chains.
Solid Gold Watches.
103 coin Silver Watches, all superior guides.
Field Glasses.
Breech Loading Shot Guns.
Choice set of Carpenter's Tools.
Fine line of Seth Thomas Clocks.

N.B.—Special inducements will be offered to parties buying BLANKETS, having $1000 worth, which will be sold at a sacrifice.

A. A. AARONSON, PAWNBROKER, Johnson Street, - - Victoria, june10 1m

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA

Employment Bureau!

Furnishes all kinds of Help Free of Charge.

OUR

BUSINESS AGENCY.

Do you want to Buy or Sell a Business, Take a Partner, &c.

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—FOR—

ELEGANCE of Style, and BEAUTY of FINISH.

HALL and LOWE,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Opposite Colonist office. may27

STRAYED.

CAME to the premises of the undersigned about two months ago, a RED COW, with split ear and branded with an angle on the left hip. If not claimed inside of twenty days it will be sold to pay expenses.

WILLIAM VON ALLMAN, Saanich Road.

June 4, 1886. [201]

G. Byrnes, Auctioneer.

AUCTION.

Bankrupt Stock.

Estate of Powers Bros., Yale.

Groceries,
Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Blankets,
Boots and Shoes.

Monday, 28th June, 10 a.m.,

At my Salesroom, Fort and Langley Streets.

I have been instructed to sell by Auction a general assortment of the above goods; also, Show Cases, Counters, Scales, etc., etc.

NO RESERVE.

G. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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THE ST. ANDREW'S —AND— Caledonian Society

Will hold their Twenty-third

ANNUAL GATHERING

—AT THE—

Agricultural Grounds, Beacon Hill

—ON—

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1886.

THE PAVILION HAS BEEN SPECIALLY prepared for Dancing, and an efficient Quadrille Band will be in attendance.

PRIZES will be awarded to competitors in National Athletic Games and Dancing.

The grounds will be tastefully decorated and illuminated with the Electric Light. In the evening a

Grand Display of Fireworks

Imported from Barlow's Pyrotechnic works, London.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

Messrs. W. Lorimer and James Russell, Vice-Presidents; D. McKay, Dr. Milne, Thomas Russell, James Hutcheson, R.P. Rithet, A. B. Gray, John Ross, Geo Mann, A. J. Smith, Wm. Scott, W. H. Mason, Grieve H. McN. Stuart, A. Allen, Geo. Webb, Jno. Tindall, John Orr and Capt Urquhart.

JUDGES OF GAMES:

Messrs. James Burns, John Russell, Alex McLean A. B. Gray, James Hutcheson, R. P. Rithet, Capt. Irving, A. Munro, Alex Allen.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE:

John Boyd, President; Wm. Lorimer and James Russell, Vice-President; John Grant M. P. P., Councillor Smith, J. G. Geddes, John Robertson and D. McKay.

STARTERS—Messrs. Thomas Russell and Robert Mitchell.

FLOOR MANAGERS—Messrs. John Orr, Wm. Scott and Geo. Mann.

PIPER TO THE SOCIETY—Mr. David Kennedy.

RANGERS—Messrs Geo. Webb and John Tindall.

PROGRAMME OF GAMES:

	Ent.	1st pr.	2d pr.	3d pr.
1. Running High Jump,	25c.	$4 00	$2 00	
2. Running Long Jump,	25c.	4 00	2 00	
3. Hop Step and Jump,	25c.	3 00	1 00	
4. Foot Race, three miles,	$1.	15 00	7 50	
5. Foot Race for boys under 15, handicapped,	free,	2 50	1 50	1 00
6. Foot Race for girls under 13, handicapped,	free,	2 50	1 50	1 00
7. Foot Race for boys under 10, handicapped,	free,	2 50	1 50	1 00
8. Half-Mile Race,	50c.	7 00	3 00	
9. Half-Mile walking match, under 18 years,	25c.	5 00	2 50	
10. Foot Race for girls under 10, handicapped,	free,	2 50	1 50	1 00
11. Tug of War, Navy vs. Civilians, 10 men aside,	free,	10 00		
12. Hurdle Race 300 yards	50c.	5 00	2 50	
13. Throwing heavy hammer,	50c.	5 00	2 50	
14. Putting heavy shot,	50c.	5 00	2 50	
15. One mile (navy) race	50c.	10 00	5 00	
16. Sack Race,	25c.	4 00	2 00	
17. Wrestling match under 11 stone,	50c.	5 00		
18. Wrestling do., all weights,	50c.	5 00		

DANCING.

19. Highland Fling,	Prize	2 50
20. Sailors' Hornpipe	Prize	2 50
21. Sword Dance	Prize	2 50
22. Reel o' Tulloch	Prize	2 50
23. Barrel Race, entrance 25c—1st prize $4	2d do.	2 00
24. Best Bagpipe Music—1st prize, $10		

Best Dressed Boy in Highland Costume—1st prize, Silver Medal; 2nd prize, $2.50

A GRAND LOTTERY.

A Grand Lottery for Ladies only will be drawn during the afternoon. Each lady on entering the grounds will receive a ticket.

1. Lady's Sapphire Ring. 6. Lady's Work Box.
2. Silver Necklet & Locket. 7. Lady's Sunshade.
3. Cake Basket. 8. Six Napkin Rings.
4. Pair Gold Earrings. 9. Lady's Portmonnaie.
5. Pickle Jar.

The Prizes will be on exhibition in the window of the White House on and after the 15th inst.

CONDITION OF GAMES.

Games to commence at 1 o'clock, sharp.

Three competitors to enter for all games, or no prize will be awarded.

Wrestling matches, two to enter, Scotch backhold, border style. First point touching the ground loses, one fall each. The best of three to decide.

Heavy shot and hammer to be delivered within the line.

No weights will be allowed in jumping.

Every facility will be afforded visitors to view the games, etc. The grounds will be open to the public at 11 a. m.

Tenders will be received for supplying the bar with the best wines, liquors, cordials, lemonade, soda water, and cigars; and also for the lunch table, including fruit, candy, tea and coffee, up to Saturday, the 26th inst., at the office of the Secretary.

Admission 50 cents; Children under 12 years of age 25 cents.

june7 W. H. MASON, Secretary.

Artillery Picnic.

THE OFFICERS, N. C. O. AND MEN OF THE B. C. Brigade of Garrison Artillery will hold their

ANNUAL PICNIC!

AT THE

Agricultural Grounds, Beacon Hill,

ON DOMINION DAY, JULY 1st,

Under the patronage of His Honor the Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Cornwall.

PROGRAMMES of Sports and Games, with liberal Prize List, will be issued at an early date.

There will be a GRAND TOMBOLA, the Prizes for which will shortly be exhibited.

The ARTILLERY BAND will play at intervals during the afternoon, and an efficient Quadrille Band will be provided for dancing in the Pavilion during the evening.

Tickets, 50 Cts; Children Half-price

TOMBOLA TICKETS, 10 cents each, can be obtained from any member of the corps, and one will be presented to each lady on entering the grounds.

Gates open at half-past one; sports to commence at 2, and dancing at 7.30 p. m.

By order, W. H. SMALLFIELD, Lieut.

Standing Hay.

TWO FIELDS OF GRASS, containing thirty-three acres, more or less, on Alderley Farm, near Elk Lake (6 miles from town.)

Tenders will be received up to end of the present month for either one or both fields.

The use of Barn will be given till 1st January 1887.

Good pasturage for Horses up to 1st March.

Address WILSON BROWN, Alderley Farm

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